# **MISSOURI**

## SUMMARY OF PLANT PROTECTION REGULATIONS Updated November, 2002

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#### NURSERY STOCK DEFINITION

**Nursery Stock** shall be understood to mean all plants having a persistent woody stem, perennials, bulbs, roots, crowns, corms, rhizomes and tubers capable of propagating, including strawberry, asparagus and rhubarb, but excluding seed potatoes and other garden vegetables. Grass sod, stolons and plugs distributed for the purpose of propagation are also included in the term nursery stock.

### GENERAL SHIPPING REQUIREMENTS

Any nursery stock shipped into or within Missouri must have attached to the outside of each package or quantity a tag or label with the name and address of the shipper, a statement describing the nature and quantity of the contents, and a valid inspection certificate from the state of origin. All shipments of nursery stock shall be free of plant pests.

### **NOXIOUS WEEDS**

Cannabis sativa	Marijuana (Hemp)
Carduus nutans	
Cirsium arvense	Canada thistle
Convolvulus arvensis	Field bindweed
Dipsacus fullonum	

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Dipsacus laciniatus	
Lythrum salicaria (and all hybrids)	
Onoprodum acanthium	
Pueraria lobata	
Rosa multiflora	Multiflora rose
COUNTY OPTION NOXIOUS WEEDS:	
Sorghum halepense	Johnsongrass

## QUARANTINES OR ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

All applicable Federal plant pest quarantines regulating the movement of nursery stock and/or related commodities. Quarantines of particular concern include, but are not limited to the following: Black Stem Rust 7CFR 301.38, Gypsy Moth 7CFR 301.45, Pink Bollworm 7CFR 301.52, Pine Shoot Beetle 7CFR 301.50, and Imported Fire Ant 7 CFR 301.81.